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Case No. 8864/8

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Griffith D. Neal

Serial No: 09/470,428

Examiner: J. Waks

Filed: December 22, 1999

Group Art Unit: 2834

For: HIGH SPEED SPINDLE MOTOR  
FOR DISK DRIVE

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated April 20, 2001 for a period of 1 month(s).

- ☒ Applicant is:
- ☒ a small entity, verified statement is:
    - ☐ attached
    - ☒ already filed
  - ☐ other than small entity

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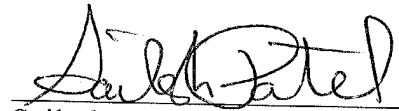
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	<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$110	\$55
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$390	\$195
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$890	\$445
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,390	\$695
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five Months	\$1,890	\$945

**Fee Payment**

- ☒ Attached is a check for \$55 for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 20, 2001


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